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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : 6,871,581 B2  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [57] **ABSTRACT**, please replace the **ABSTRACT** in its entirety with the following rewritten **ABSTRACT**,

-- A fryer includes an oil vessel for containing cooking oil, heating means for heating the cooking oil in the oil vessel, heat controlling means for setting the cooking oil at a predetermined temperature by controlling the heating means, temperature sensor for detecting the temperature of the cooking oil and a display portion for displaying the temperature of the cooking oil and the like. Based on the predetermined temperature, the detected oil temperature is classified into three ranges: (1) the most desirable temperature range for cooking, (2) temperature ranges capable of cooking excluding the above range (1), and (3) temperature ranges in which the start of cooking is prohibited. The display portion displays the temperature range in which the detected oil temperature is classified, and also displays the difference between the predetermined temperature and the detected oil temperature.--

Column 1.

Line 1, please delete "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION"  
Line 8, please add -- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION -- before the line that includes "1. Field of the Invention"  
Line 67, please add -- (1) -- before "the"; please add -- (2) -- before the second occurrence of "temperature"

Column 2.

Line 2, please add -- and (3) -- before "temperature"  
Lines 6, 11, 16, 26, 33 and 42, please delete "A fryer"  
Lines 13 and 44, please change "aspect" to -- aspects --  
Line 47, please change the first and second occurrences of "a" to -- the --  
Line 50, please add -- (1) -- before the second occurrence of "the"  
Line 51, please add -- (2) -- before the second occurrence of "temperature"  
Line 52, please add -- and (3) -- before "temperature"

Column 3.

Lines 1, 10, 15, 21, 34 and 42, please change the first and second occurrences of "a" to -- the --  
Line 16, please delete "an" please add -- , -- after "timers"

Column 4.

Line 1, please change "DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS" to -- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION --

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Column 6,

Line 11, please change "a" to -- the --

Lines 12 and 65, please change "remained" to -- remaining --

Column 7,

Line 56, please change "remained" to -- remaining --

Line 57, please change "Owing" to -- Due --

Column 8,

Line 2, please delete "there"

Line 3, please delete "needs"; please delete the first occurrence of "to" and replace with -- is required for --; please replace "and it" with -- , which --

Line 19, please add -- for example -- before "it"; please change "is necessary to" to -- must --

Line 20, please add -- the -- before "cooking"

Lines 22 and 23, please change "a" to -- the --

Lines 43, 48, 55, 58 and 62, please change the first and second occurrences of "a" to -- the --

Column 9,

Lines 1 and 7, please change the first and second occurrences of "a" to -- the --

Column 11,

Line 26, please delete ", "

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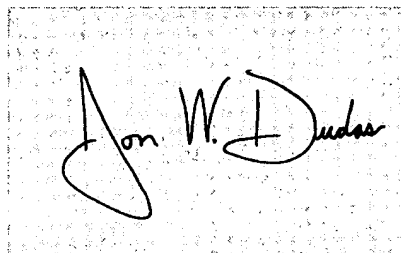
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Column 12,

Line 35, please change "od" to -- of --

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